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### Chairman Darrell Issa Hearing Preview Statement

May 23, 2011

"Under my plan of a cap-and-trade system, electricity rates would necessarily skyrocket. ...Coal-powered

Those were the words of Candidate Obama. As President, he said:

"The nation that leads the clean energy economy will be the nation that leads the global economy...Ame

He is not alone. Energy Secretary Steven Chu, prior to his tenure in the cabinet, said:

"Somehow we have to figure out how to boost the price of gasoline to the levels in Europe." To put that i

Viewed in tandem with Obama Administration efforts to slow production from the Gulf of Mexico, block "i

Addressing these issues is at the heart of a new report and Tuesday hearing of the House Oversight and

The United States has the largest reserves in the world—resources that can provide good paying Ameri

We need to expose the many ways the government is limiting access to our vast natural resources. The

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**Witnesses**

[The Honorable Lisa Jackson](#)

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